



public policy, and should be revoked. There is, therefore, double assurance. And relief will come to the Pacific Coast some time and the chances are very favorable that the President will cancel or terminate the Pacific Mail contract before the House Committee has reached the end of its investigation.

The President has unquestioned authority to end this contract without waiting for legislation on the subject, as he now has control of the railroad under the provisions of the Spender act. Secretary Taft is taking steps to acquire the balance of stock in the railroad held by private parties. It is understood that the Pacific Mail contract will be terminated at the end of the three-year period, which will be next June. It may be annulled before that time. A government official having cognizance of the whole matter said today that the government would not be influenced in the slightest degree by the threat of the Pacific Mail Company to withdraw its steamer from the San Francisco-Panama run. If the contract is terminated, no one here believes the Pacific Mail will do anything of the kind.

## SMOOT CASE GOES FORWARD.

WHITECOTTON OF UTAH HAS HIS DAY IN COURT.

Says the Condition of Polygamy is an "Awful One" and the People Wish They Were Out—Ex-Gov. McConnell's Statements Bring Protest from Idaho Legislature.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

BOISE (Idaho) Jan. 12.—The statements made by former Governor McConnell at Washington before the Senate committee investigating the case of Senator Smoot have created a stir here, Mr. McConnell's statement relating to the gambling propensities of members of the Legislature being especially resonant, and today the following resolution was adopted by both branches of the State Legislature:

"Resolved, that we, the members of the eighth Idaho Legislature, now in session, regardless of political belief or religious creed, denounce the statements, as reported in the press, of ex-Gov. W. J. McConnell before the Senate investigating committee reflecting on the morals of the Idaho Legislature as unjust, uncalled for and untrue, and further,

"Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be wired to the chairman of said Privileges and Elections Committee at Washington, D. C."

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Three witnesses for the defense in the Smoot case today testified that polygamy was dying out in Utah so rapidly that there was no need of prosecutions. It was declared that the younger Mormons are all opposed to polygamy, and that the older ones, it was said, were dead, there would be a revolution in the church. It was admitted that Senator Smoot got the consent of the church to become a candidate for Senator, but only in the form of a leave of absence from his church duties, and it was declared that he could have been nominated and elected without it.

Mr. Whitecotton, attorney of Provo, Utah, resumed his review of political affairs in Utah when the hearing opened. No effort was made by him to be said to restrict the political liberties of the people, or of any individual, but it claimed the right to receive the time and energies of men who have been compelled to leave their church offices. The definition he drew of the church did not try to prevent its members from engaging in politics without the consent of the church, but that when certain members had important offices, the church had a right to prevent such members from accepting other offices which would take them away from the church. He never had seen any difference in behavior between Mormon and Gentile, but he thought the Mormon voters adhered more closely to the Gentiles to their party affiliation.

It was shown by the witness that Gentiles had always held the most important State offices, and that Gentiles had not been allowed in influencing Mormons for polygamous cohabitation received as large a vote as other candidates when they came up for election.

"I think the decided sentiment of the Mormon people in Utah is hostile to polygamy," said Whitecotton.

Speaking of the character of State senator Whitecotton, who had not been a polygamist elected since.

"What would be the effect, really, of an individual who is instituted proceedings in prosecution of a polygamist?" asked Attorney Vancott.

"It would make no difference in his standing in the community."

"What would be the effect if he came up for office?"

"It would not妨害 him in his work. It would not妨害 him as a man of courage and his nerve to go ahead and do his duty," replied Whitecotton.

Mr. Whitecotton asked why he required "service" for an office to do his duty, and the witness explained this by giving the condition in which such prosecutions would leave women.

"What is the sentiment in regard to the polygamous families?" asked the chairman.

The witness replied that "it was an awful condition, you say?" interrupted the chairman.

"An awful condition. One that we were more out of, and we do not know how to get out," said Whitecotton.

"These people, these polygamists, are left without interference," Vancott asked when Senator Smoot first took an active part in politics in Utah.

He was in politics when I went to Utah. He was in the People's party."

"After the division came, what part did he take?"

"Well, he had some Republican here-

and he joined that party. He was in the wooden mill business," said the witness.

Chairman Burrows asked Booth if he thought a constitutional amendment of the United States prohibiting polygamy would be a wise measure.

"Well, it is a desire of habit of always voting the Republican ticket, and it was unpleasant to us Democrats to have too many of those fellows as heretics, did he oppose polygamy?" asked Vancott.

"Yes, sir; he was looked upon as a young man in Utah to redeem himself."

In regard to the political aspirations and the attitude of the people, both Mr. Whitecotton and Mr. Vancott.

"Four years ago, Mr. Smoot was advanced for Governor, and when he abandoned the race for that office it was understood that he had his eye on the Senate席位.

"Well, he was advanced for Senator, and when he became an apostle, he was talked of as a candidate for Senator. After he was elected an apostle, a campaign was waged in which the issue was 'Smoot or not Smoot'."

"Do you think his apostleship assisted or hurt him in his canvas for the Senatorial?"

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Interstate Commerce Commission's office today, the statement was made that in one week from now the commission will formally announce its decision in the case of the California Fruit Shippers against the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe railroads. These cases have been hanging fire for something like five years now. One point in them was decided two years ago in April, and since then rumors that the final decision would be announced have been heard several hundred times, but each rumor

The statement now made that the decision will be announced within a week is upon the authority of an official of the commission, and is probably true.

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## SACRAMENTO. SUSPEND WORK FOR THE WEEK.

Practically All Legislators Go to San Francisco.

Emmons Introduces County Self-Government Bill.

Prison Reform Measures Come up in Assembly.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 13.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sacramento, Jan. 13.—The Legislature, a lame-duck or a fine-tooth comb could not produce a sufficient number to make a quorum of either house. Practically all the members left for San Francisco immediately after the two houses today adjourned until Monday, and the few members who remained have sought their quarters either than brave the downpour of rain, which has continued since last Monday morning.

The proceedings in the two houses today were of a very ordinary character and were devoid of special features. Perhaps the most important matter which came up in the Senate was the introduction by Senator Emmons of a bill which is certain to attract general attention throughout the country.

The measure is voluminous, but clearly stated. Its object is to give counties throughout the State practically the same privileges which are now enjoyed by cities.

That is to say, he would make it possible to give to the various counties such rights as enactment special charters in which are specifically stated such powers to be voted by the people and being subject to arbitrary change by each succeeding Legislature.

The author of the measure hardly seems to secure its passage, but he is a son of San Francisco, and he has the fact that it will deprive politicians of a deal of patronage which he now enjoys.

PRISON-REFORM BILLS.

In the Assembly bills having for their chief reforms of the prisons of the state are the most important measures introduced. They were presented by the hold-over committees appointed a year ago. If these bills become law, it is known they will have a support of the administration.

They will be taken out of the hands of reformatory class and made available for persons who are not criminals; laws will be passed to make it possible for the various communities to have the care of the various inmates to be placed in the hands of the state.

Other bills were introduced as follows:

BILLS INTRODUCED.

IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 13.—A number of bills were introduced in the Senate this morning, and the Committee on Corrections, on Attached, the following were appointed: Gus Baker and Louis Holm, committee clerks, at 4 a.m.; Mrs. A. J. Porter, stenographer, at 5 P.M.; Kenneth, postman, at 5 P.M.; Ed Ostrom, gatekeeper, at 5 P.M.; W. L. Williams, electrician, 4 a.m.

ASSEMBLY.

The Assembly again overlooked the movement for economic legislation, and, on a recommendation of the Committee on Attached, the following were appointed: Gus Baker and Louis Holm, committee clerks, at 4 a.m.; Mrs. A. J. Porter, stenographer, at 5 P.M.; Kenneth, postman, at 5 P.M.; Ed Ostrom, gatekeeper, at 5 P.M.; W. L. Williams, electrician, 4 a.m.

THE REPORT.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.

TOKIO, Jan. 14, 11 a.m.—[By Asiatic Cable. After Midnight Dispatch] Additional reports from the Japanese army headquarters state that the Russian cavalry which was defeated in the neighborhood of Yinkow, Wednesday, retreated in disorderly fashion to Liao Yang, evidently before to Lieut.-Gen. Mietchenco's Cossacks. The report says that the Cossacks, with the 12th, Second Infantry Regiment of Railroads Guards, two gunboats surrounded the Japanese post at Niuchiatun, north of Yinkow, on the line of communications, and assaulted the Russians, who repulsed with a loss of at least eight.

In military circles here it is not anticipated that there will be any further attack on the part of the Cossacks.

The Mesagure Maritime steamer Irquaudy, which sailed from Marsella December 10 for Madagascar, arrived at 5 P.M. yesterday at the Russian naval base of Novorossiysk.

The Russian auxiliary cruiser Kuban, carrying 510 men and eight guns, has arrived at Diego Suarez Bay.

CAPTURE SHIJIHAN STEAMER.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.

TOKIO, Jan. 14, 10 a.m.—[By Asiatic Cable.] It is rumored that a Japanese warship was recently sighted off the west coast of Mauritius.

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WARSHIN SIGHTED.

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TOKIO, Jan. 14, 10 a.m.—[By Asiatic Cable.] It is rumored that No. 72 captured the British steamer Lethington in the Tsushima Straits last Thursday and brought her to Sasebo to be tried by the prize court.

The Lethington is reported to have a cargo of coal for Vladivostok.

THE RAILROAD.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.

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Making it a misdemeanor for a person to accept fees not allowed by law; relating to the accounts of an executor or administrator after his death; making it a misdemeanor for a person to give or other person to usurp a public school teacher.

Other bills were introduced as follows:

First.—That the islands of Misian, in the Straits of Pei Chi, opposite Port Arthur, have been constantly used by the Japanese without Chinese interference as a strategical base and as a harbor for Japanese torpedo boats.

Second.—That the Chinese army command at Mo-kuo consider the command of Japanese officers.

Third.—That Chinese firms have been constantly working in behalf of the Japanese, equipping them with provisions, military accoutrements and general war stores.

The note lengthily sets forth details and complains that China has not given the customary enthusiasm in private and public expression, and that therefore Russia advises the powers that she intends to authorize complete liberty of action.

Russia PLEADS ABSOLVED.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 14.—Russia feels that Japan has broken the pledge to withdraw its troops from Korea.

Secretary Hay's note at the beginning of the year will, she holds, absolve her from further observance and leave her free to act for her own protection. Should the Japanese force her to move, Russia will feel free herself to cross the Liao River into the neutral zone. As for the powers, Russia has extracted a number of such missiles from the command of Japanese officers.

SAD NEW YEAR'S.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 14, 2:15 a.m.—The Russian New Year was celebrated tonight with much of the customary enthusiasm in private and public expression, but it will be little demonstration, owing to the fact that it has been customary to hold a great New Year's reception at the Winter Palace, but this year Emperor Nicholas II, the Emperor of China, and the other members of the royal family are not present.

The eastern provinces seem to have won. They succeeded in driving the forces of the cattlemen. They drove the wedge of discord until they had the old organization wide open and had-headed action on the part of the cattlemen made the task easy. Texas and California men are in the new organization, while President Hagenbach, the sheepmen, packers and other allied interests have clung to the shell of the old one. Books and papers remain with the president. It is said an effort will be made to get them from him by force.

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DR. EASTLAKE'S WAR.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Dr. W. D. Eastlake, who has recently been in the Japanese Red Cross service, arrived today on the steamer Doric. He declared that the Russians are using dum-dum bullets and that he had extracted a number of such missiles from wounded Japanese.

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BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14—Count Castelnau, the French Ambassador to the United States, today told Secretary of State Hay that the Russian government has agreed to the demands of the American government.

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ASSOCIATION  
RENT IN TWAIN.Live Stock Men Differ Over  
Railroad Question.Union of Packers Throws  
Open Door Wide.Denver Convention Witnesses  
a Bitter Fight.

OUR DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES:

DENVER, Jan. 13.—[Exclusive, Dis-  
patch.] Friday, the 12th, brought  
the last to the organization which for  
some time has been known as the  
National Live Stock Association  
and a new deal all around. Texas  
and California now the track, hot  
and cold between leaders who  
met their heads, and had stood that  
any last for years will be the re-  
sult.There is apt to be a meeting at  
some tomorrow morning between  
the C. C. of the Texas and Frank Hagen-  
barth of Utah. The tie was passed  
and it is referred to personal combat  
as next to President Hagenbarth to  
lose his law. This did not  
happen in a casual way. It was  
mediated. President Hagenbarth  
and of charges made against him  
in absence from the meeting of  
the association and came to the plat-  
form.I will make this a personal mat-  
ter with Mr. Cowan when this meet-  
ing next. I can take care of  
myself in the road. I  
will not be a part of it otherwise, to  
shock his finger at Judge Cowan  
in open. The audience gasped at  
the announcement. Walter Judd  
was managing editor of the Denver  
Press between the men and  
friends of both parties say  
that some issues cannot be cleared  
by any ordinary process. So  
we will have a day of bad luck  
in the most prominent stock  
men of the West.The members of the association seem to  
be in the hands of the cattlemen. They  
say the wedge of discord until they  
are in the organization wide open  
and intended action on the part of  
the men made the task easy. Texas  
and California men are in the new  
organization, while President Hagen-  
barth and others, packers and  
other interests, have clung to  
the old one. Books and  
books with the president. It  
will be made to  
lose him by force  
and the organization will probably  
want to much as a stock as  
the range cattlemen. They  
will with the new combination  
have no prospect of peace  
or success. The reelection  
of President Hagenbarth clinches  
the fact and Cowan's will  
be on every occasion and is-  
sues.The state of California has stayed  
with the Hagenbarth faction. He will  
be elected vice-president to  
the new organization.

MATERIALS PROCEEDED.

DENVER, Jan. 13.—The National  
Live Stock Association was rent in  
two by the adoption of a new  
constitution which admitted the packers  
and provided an open  
door, which the railroads of  
the country at any time become  
the control of the organization.Cattle, horse and swine  
breeder with representatives  
of the affiliated industries, re-  
sponsible to the new constitution.When they considered its  
merit and this afternoon  
the new organization under the  
name of the National Live Stock  
Association, which it will be  
dominating influence in the  
cattle grower.In speaking, the sheep grow-  
ers remained with the Na-  
tional Live Stock Association and the  
rest of all other animals for  
have gone with the new  
organization.Cattlemen have from the first  
opposed the admittance into  
the organization of the packers, and  
the railroads. They claimed  
that influences would ulti-  
mately lead to the detriment  
of the cattle grower, and they  
remain in the organization  
and their representatives  
members of its controllingfaction in the ranks came  
in session in which the ar-  
guments at times torrid and  
parliamentary tangles were  
so complex that it  
was not possible to  
decide the question. Many  
times would be several  
hours at a time one  
would all drop together by  
the time the convention went  
on after something else.  
Astro at one time  
declared a motion to adjourn.A long debate followed, in which  
Murdie Mackenzie and S. C. Cowan  
criticized the proposed amendment.A vote of 253 to 66. The cattlemen  
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as a result.

PUT UP MONEY?

The reorganization plan was adopted  
by a vote of 253 to 66. The cattlemen  
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as a result.

STAND BY PRESIDENT.

Commission Merchants' Organization  
Approves Regulation of Railway  
and Transportation Matters.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 13.—At its  
session today, the National League of  
Commission Merchants ordered that the  
following dispatch be sent to President  
Roosevelt:"We the National League of Com-  
mission Merchants of the United States in  
convention assembled, most heartily  
approve of the recommendation to Con-  
gress relating to the regulation of rail-  
way and transportation matters as

dent Hagenbarth ruled him out of order and ruled that his time had expired, but other delegates gave him their time and urged him to continue his remarks.

President Roosevelt sent a message here, said Cowan, "saying I am with you." What is he going to think if we go to bed with the very men he is investigating?"

At the afternoon session a resolution was adopted increasing the time limit for the transportation of live stock from twenty-eight to thirty-six hours. A resolution was adopted favoring reciprocity treaties with foreign countries which have placed a ban on American live stock, as a means of relieving the greatest condition of the American market.

The cattlemen who had left the convention gathered at the Brown Palace Hotel in the afternoon and appointed a committee of fifteen to present a plan for a new organization. It reported, which was unanimously adopted, that a temporary president should be appointed to hold office until May 2, when a permanent convention for the purpose of organizing the new organization will be held in Denver. John W. Springer, a former president of the National Live Stock Association, was elected president until the May 2.

In the new organization, the representation will be one of individual members only. It will not be an amalgamation of associations, as is the case with the older organization.

NEW CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

At a meeting of the National Live Stock Association held tonight, the Central Committee, which is the executive body of the association, was announced, as follows: H. A. Jastro, cattle growers; A. J. Lovejoy, swine growers; Jessie Smith, sheep growers; H. W. McAfee, horse growers; W. A. Harris, pure breed record associations; Frank Cooper, live stock exchanges; A. G. Leonard, stock yards; Nelson Morris, packers; C. F. Bailey, goat raisers.

The committee selected Frank J. Hagenbarth president and passed a resolution thanking him for his work and expressing confidence in him as an official.

The minor officers will be selected tomorrow morning.

The following Executive Committee  
was named: E. E. Hickey, of New  
York; Richard W. of Texas; M. K.  
Parsons, Utah; Charles McDonald,  
New Mexico, and Robert Taylor, Ne-  
braska.

FORENOON SESSION.

DENVER, Jan. 13.—At the opening  
of the convention of the National Live Stock  
Association this morning Murdo Mackenzie of Trinidad, Colo., was  
elected president. The new organization  
will be organized on the floor of the  
convention, as proposed by President  
Hagenbarth.Secretary Johnson of the association  
made an extended statement of  
the organization of the new organization,  
saying that it will do justice to  
President Hagenbarth.As a question of personal privi-  
lege, said the president, "I don't wish  
to make any statement."There were calls of "go on" from  
the delegates, and Johnson responded  
to read a number of letters from  
stockmen supporting the plan of re-  
organization, as proposed by President  
Hagenbarth.Majority and minority reports on the  
plan of reorganization from the com-  
mittee appointed yesterday were then  
read. The minority report, read by R. H. Cowan, recom-  
mended that only live stock men  
proper be admitted to membership,  
and that voting rights be allowed  
to all to vote on the plan of re-  
organization. It declared against a combi-  
nation with stock yards, packers or  
raiment dealers.The minority report of the wool grow-  
ers was read by E. R. Gossen of Ar-  
izona. It was in favor of allowing  
only such delegates as were members  
of the live stock association to vote on  
the question of reorganization.A motion was made by H. A. Jastro to  
lay both reports on the table. The  
motion was lost and the majority re-  
port submitted by Cowan was adopted.President Hagenbarth then declared  
that the meeting was of a general  
character and not a convention of the  
National Live Stock Association. Court-  
martial action was taken to determine  
stockmen were about to cause, he de-  
clared, and a meeting of the live stock  
association would be held.

RULING OUT OF ORDER.

Cowan called for the report of the  
Conference Committee and was ruled  
out of order. The president claimed  
that the Conference Committee had  
been appointed by the Executive Com-  
mittee of the live stock association  
and should not report to the general  
meeting.An attempt was made to organize the  
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**THE CITY IN BRIEF.**  
NEWS AND BUSINESS.

**Murphy.**  
Attorney C. C. Wright will preside at the Francis Murphy meeting at Blanchard Hall tomorrow evening.

**Senatorial Jollification.**

An echo of the Flint triumph in Levy's last night was the merry supper of ardent followers and supporters of his. His.

**Men's Mind Mass.**

A month and a half must for the late Louis A. Griswold will be at St. Vibiana's Cathedral this morning at 8 o'clock. The members of the Newman Club will attend in a body.

**Honor to Fetter.**

Senatorial Roosevelt has appointed Milo M. Potter of Los Angeles a member of the United States Army Commission. This commission will meet in Philadelphia February 12.

**Men's M. Directors.**

Seven directors of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association will be chosen at the annual election next Monday. The polls will be open from 10 o'clock a.m. until 4 p.m. The annual meeting of the organization will be held at the Hotel in this evening.

**Falkenberg is Recovering.**

The man, friend of F. A. Falkenberg of No. 131 West Seventh street, Head Consul of the Woodmen of the World, will be pleased to learn that he is recovering from an arm serious illness. He was reported as being resting easily and showing much improvement in his condition.

**Public Reception.**

The East Ninth and Main Streets Improvement Association has invited Louis McAllister, Street Superintendent and Commissioner Housing, to come to a public reception to be given in their honor in the Church of the Neighborhood corner of Ninth and Wilson Streets on Sunday evening the 17th inst. Their officers have accepted the invitation.

**For Bishop's Father.**

The Newman Club will hold its next meeting on Tuesday evening, the 24th inst., and in view of the close connection of Bishop Conaty with the society, the directors have arranged to commemorate the life and character of the late Patrick Conaty, father of the Bishop. A special service will be given at this meeting by Rev. J. J. McQuade of Lancaster, who was an intimate personal friend of the deceased.

**Posters Installed.**

The Foresters of America held their annual installation Thursday evening. Grand Chief Ranger John H. Foley and Sub Grand Chief Ranger C. A. Root were both present, which is a rare honor. Dr. J. L. Jones, State Forester, was there. There was music by the MacCabe Band, formerly the South Los Angeles Band, and an orchestra. The affair concluded with dancing and refreshments.

**Proposed Sanatorium.**

Dr. Stephen Fisher, discoverer of the "Archine," a liquid treatment for dropsy, is said to be projecting plans for the establishment of a sanatorium in Los Angeles for the exclusive treatment of dropsy. The proposed structure will cost \$150,000, exclusive of furniture and equipment, the doctor says. Dr. Fisher is at present in Dickinson, N. D., but is to come to Los Angeles to take charge of the new enterprise.

**Most Preppy Postage.**

Postmaster Flint has received from Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General Bristol at Washington a statement to the effect that numerous complaints have been made to the Post Office concerning clerks and some available matter, postage on which has not been prepaid, are being placed in rural letter boxes. The Postmaster General has directed that such boxes on rural routes be intended exclusively for the reception of mail, and, reluctantly in the view of the mailmen, the postage has not been prepaid shall be held at the initial postoffice for postage.

**BREVITIES.**

Post office to five thousand sacks of hardened cement will be given away to first parties calling at the Western Commercial Company, 220 East Market street, the scene of the recent fire. For filling the excavation and the improvement of land and other purposes, this damaged cement should be admirable.

**New Building Ordinance.**

Copies of the new building ordinance in book form, which has been issued to all contractors, may be had at the office of The Times-Mirror Printing and Billing House, 110 N. Broadway, Telephone us and we will send you the book.

**Services from the Inn.**

Services from the Inn, the May Festival Chorus take place every Friday evening at 7:45 at Birkel's Hall, 265 S. Spring street. Applications of singing may be received there. Hotel Roslyn, all meals \$2.50, excepting Sunday evening dinners \$2.25 meals \$2.00. Call 450 South Main street.

Pioneer Roll Paper Co. is putting on a new theater; temporary office 224-26 S. Los Angeles st. Phones Ex. 22. Home Ex. 228.

T.W.C.A. prospects for new term in educational department now ready. Apply at office. Conservative Life Building.

A good \$25 turkey dinner, everything included, on Sunday, 11 to 8 p.m., at Carlson's Cafeteria, 429 S. Spring street. Bishop Hamilton will preach at Assembly Church tomorrow evening. The Dame or Griffin car to N. Workman, Oaxaca Indian blankets, pure wool, hand-woven; prices \$6 to \$25. Mexican Bureau, 266 S. Spring.

Dra. Bradbury's Chamber of Commerce removed, fifth floor, Bradbury Building.

Iron beds, springs and mattresses, \$3.50; furniture at half. 229 S. Main.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for A. R. Pearce, C. L. Wilmans, E. T. Knutson, Miss Louise Reed, George Moore, C. McCarthy, J. F. Green, Mrs. F. H. Brown.

**BRODIE L. DUKE IN COURT.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Brodie L. Duke, half brother of the president of the American Tobacco Company, whose recent marriage resulted in his coming to the Supreme Court in Brooklyn today on a writ of habeas corpus, and, after a hearing, was sent to the Long Island home until Thursday next. On that date, Duke is expected to appear by Justice Gaynor, who is to make an order into Duke's condition and make a report as to whether he is insane. The writ of habeas corpus on which Duke was held was issued by the oblique W. C. Brewster of Durham, N. C., who has acted as private secretary for Duke. An attempt was made to question Duke, but the physicians prevented him. He is said to be in a condition to fight this thing to the last. One of the physicians said Duke was apparently sane, but in a weakened physical condition.

Falcons of Attorney Linton to produce witnesses caused another postponement yesterday in taking testimony before Courtney W. Bennett, the British Consul General at San Francisco, in the Dunsuir will contest.

**DID ROBBERS SLUG PATEET?**

**Found Lying in Blood Near Police Station.**

**Says Three Thugs Got His Watch and Money.**

**Mystery of a Chicago Man With Gashed Head.**

He'd up, slugged and robbed of \$50 and a watch almost under the glare of the electric light of the Police Station, where the singular experience occurred. Patten of Franklin street and Michigan Avenue, Chicago, relented last night. Patten was found writhing in his own blood at 11:30 o'clock at First and Hill streets. He was groaning and writhing in pain, with a heavy gash on the top of his head, and a great weal, as it made by some blunt instrument.

The injured man was removed to the Receiving Hospital, where he told of the attack and the singular experience. He had been unable to get help for three more. Patten says he had been downtown on business, and was en route to his lodgings at the Mount Angel Hotel on North Bunker Hill Avenue. He walked up the incline on Second street to Hill, and thinks he was followed by three men who appeared to have been watching him on Main street.

Patten seemed confused when questioned concerning the exact locality of the assault, but he thought the thugs approached him at Second and Hill streets. He was present, he says, to raise his hands up, and when endeavoring to raise his hands, Patten says another struck him down, knocking him unconscious.

The robbers then took all of his money, with the exception of a dollar. After regaining consciousness, Patten says he walked to First and Hill streets, where he was met by a police officer.

Beyond the fact that his assailants were young men and well dressed, Patten could give no description of them. They were not masked, and appeared to be clean.

Patrolman Parker passed the scene of the reported hold-up less than five minutes before the man was found, but saw nothing suspicious. Parties on the part of the California police at Hill and Hill said they had been sitting there since the theater closed, and had seen no disturbance.

The case is something of a mystery to the police, who are not under the influence of liquor, and Police Surgeon Quint stated after examining the wound that it could not have been caused by a fall.

Parker says he came to Los Angeles six weeks ago with the intention of buying a home and bringing his family here. He appears to be prosperous.

**TOO MUCH WURZBERGER.**

Missing "Heidelberg" Quartette Singer Resurrected After Anxious Search in City Jail.

"Where is Davis?" Throughout the livelong day this question was asked every mother and daughter connected with the Heidelberg Theater.

Davis is a sweet tenor singer, and was to have been the star of the San Francisco Thursday night along with other members of the double quartet of "Heidelberg," which is to be presented at the Palace Theater, which was to open Saturday morning.

Seven of the members turned up O.K. Davis was missing. At first nothing was known of his absence, but later it was learned that he had been in jail, having been arrested at 10 o'clock in the morning, on a charge of drunkenness. He was bailed out, and "Heidelberg" is now happy.

The show couldn't go on without Davis, and last night a general search throughout the city was instituted.

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**PERSONAL.**

Edward, E. C. and W. N. Musgrave of Victoria, B. C., are staying at the Hotel Roslyn, all meals \$2.50, excepting Sunday evening dinners \$2.25 meals \$2.00. Call 450 South Main street.

Pioneer Roll Paper Co. is putting on a new theater; temporary office 224-26 S. Los Angeles st. Phones Ex. 22. Home Ex. 228.

T.W.C.A. prospects for new term in educational department now ready. Apply at office. Conservative Life Building.

A good \$25 turkey dinner, everything included, on Sunday, 11 to 8 p.m., at Carlson's Cafeteria, 429 S. Spring street.

Bishop Hamilton will preach at Assembly Church tomorrow evening. The Dame or Griffin car to N. Workman, Oaxaca Indian blankets, pure wool, hand-woven; prices \$6 to \$25. Mexican Bureau, 266 S. Spring.

Dra. Bradbury's Chamber of Commerce removed, fifth floor, Bradbury Building.

Iron beds, springs and mattresses, \$3.50; furniture at half. 229 S. Main.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for A. R. Pearce, C. L. Wilmans, E. T. Knutson, Miss Louise Reed, George Moore, C. McCarthy, J. F. Green, Mrs. F. H. Brown.

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## THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

## SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Complications in the fire-engine contest made the decision between Council and Fire Commission over the purchase of two second-hand machines. Members of the Park Board yesterday afternoon advocated increasing the park force by ordinance to 115 workmen.

The Board of Public Works yesterday denied the application of D. Donegan for an elevator franchise on Court Street.

Miss M. B. Tait, who was the widow of one of the partners in the world-famed firm of W. H. Grace & Co., obtained a divorce from her husband yesterday in Judge Conrey's court on sectional grounds.

Mr. La Ferte of Glendale placed a hindrance in the way of his widow's marrying after his death. Judge Wilcox yesterday removed the stumbling block.

Rogierro's held for trial for murder.

AT THE CITY HALL.  
FIRE ENGINE FIGHT GETS HOT.

COMMISSION FAVORS PURCHASE OF NOTT MACHINES.

CLAIM THAT "TRUST" CONSPIRED NOT TO KEEP PATH WITH CITY-COUNCIL AND FIRE BOARD AT CROSS PURPOSES-MISSING ENGINE LOCATED IN NEW MEXICO.

Los Angeles enjoys the unique distinction of being the storm center of the fire-engine controversy in which every city of any considerable size in the country is interested.

The manufacture of fire engines in the United States is practically limited to two great companies, the Nott Engine Company and the American-LaFrance Company. Today is the appointed time when the engines of the two companies are to contest for supremacy before a commission of magistrates appointed by the city to judge the merits of the two machines.

But the contest will not be held.

American-LaFrance engine has failed to arrive. Officials of the freight department of the Santa Fe Railroad report that the machine will be here by January 19.

This morning the Fire Commission will decide whether the test shall be postponed for one week or be held to determine the place of Hamlet with the city. If the horse power of the two engines is equal, the competition shall be called off and recommendation made to the Council that the two Nott engines now in the fire department machine shop be purchased.

Mayor McAleer last night favored holding the test today as scheduled. He gave the opinion that if the La France engine is here, the two wives already on the ground would not be eligible to compete for the reason that it has been sold to the city.

"The Nott company has brought two engines here," said the Mayor. "They win the competition they remain in the department; otherwise they are given to the American-LaFrance company's expense."

He brought the engine here, bringing an engine here that they have sold to another city. If it wins in the competition it is forwarded on to another city, and the competition is lost.

But the Nott company has lost faith in the American-LaFrance company.

The Mayor held an after-dinner conference in his office in the City Hall with the commissioners who were awaiting the results of the competition. An attempt was made to postpone the meeting, but only two of them could agree on a date in the evening. Mayor McAleer said that no definite agreement had been reached.

The final decision as to whether the test shall be held will be made at the morning's meeting of the Fire Commission.

Swinging their intention to enter the competition if permitted, Asst. La France, one of the initiators of the American-LaFrance engine and heavy stockholder in the company; C. J. Cross of Elmyra, N. Y., sales manager of the company; R. C. Chapman, Pacific Coast manager of the company, brought directly here from the Elmyra shop to manage the engine during the test, are all here awaiting the arrival of the two engines.

An array of officers of the Nott Engine Company, almost as impressive, is also on the ground.

If the increasing power lay with the Fire Commission, it is generally conceded that the Nott engines would be bought, but it is the Council that makes the contract, and a majority of members of the board are said to favor the American-LaFrance machines.

The opinion was freely expressed about the City Hall yesterday that the Fire Commission would recommend the Nott machines and that the Council would ignore the recommendation and purchase the "trust" machines.

## INCINE WINS.

PUBLIC WORKS MISCELLANEOUS.

Court-street property owners made their fifth appearance yesterday before the Board of Public Works to protest against the sale of a franchise for an elevator. There were more than a score of them and their determined opposition was too much for the new members of the board.

One of them, however, who had applied for the franchise, wanted to talk in the air when he saw that the protestants had brought their women folk along. He kept away from the meeting and was in the air when he said that he was going to the Angelus. Mrs. Tait was placed in a most embarrassing position, but she had to comply. At the Angelus she recovered that her husband was rapidly approaching the point of intoxication, but she coaxed him back to the Westminster. He registered but insisted upon having a room widely separated from his wife, and he was given one.

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The two applications for laying redwood were denied by the board, the Dr.

City Engineer recommending that wooden curbs be accepted only on Glenwood.

Councilman Blanchard, who is a member of the Board of Public Works, did not attend yesterday's meeting, but did sit in his seat. Bill and Kean, the other members of the board, agreed on every proposal submitted to them.

WANT MORE WORKMAN.

SAY PARK FORCE IS TOO SMALL.

Members of the Park Commission at an adjourned meeting yesterday favored asking the Council to increase the number of employees in the city parks to at least 100 men. Mayor McAleer was in favor of having the number of workmen provided for by ordinance increased from sixty men to 115.

Park Superintendent Morley said that at times during the last season 115 men were employed in the parks, whereas the park-force ordinance provides for but sixty.

At the request of the Mayor the commissioners adopted a resolution that no change should be made in the personnel of the present park force until after February 1. Twenty-one men are still being carried in the parks on the rolls.

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Park Superintendent Morley's recommendation that additional land be purchased for Sunset Park was filed by the commission.

City Attorney Mathews yesterday forwarded a proposed amendment to the State Constitution affecting the payment of school taxes on state and local bonds. Under the present law bonds must be made in the city where the bonds are issued. The proposed amendment would permit of the payment of bonds in the state or in the city.

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## Los Angeles Daily Times II

**NO ACTION  
TO REOPEN.**

*Charles Hermann Wires  
About Tacoma Draft.*

*Will Submit the Question to  
His Subordinates.*

*Senators Win at Oakland.  
Eastern Races.*

*IN THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.*  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—In reply to a telegram protesting against the drafting on the Tacoma Club, General Bert of the Pacific Coast League today received the following telegram from the August Herman, chairman of the National Committee:

"The action was taken by the committee to request draft against the Tacoma Club. It was suggested and agreed by representatives of the National Committee that if changes were made in the national agreement, they would provide against a similar action in the future. It was thought that this was done by adopting a uniform list of non-reserve players for the drafting period, or by the use of a non-reserve clause, or by a list of non-reserve players for the drafting period. The action of the National Committee in this regard is that, on account of the fact that your association is not a party to the agreement, they would provide against a similar action in the future. The action was taken by the committee to request draft against the Tacoma Club, although the draft has not been definitely voted on by the commissioners. Will this be done?"

*OUR TRACK AT OAKLAND.*

*IN THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.*  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Three races were run at Oakland today. The race was won by Bell Reed, the favorite. In the second race, he had a lead which just lasted long enough to beat Hailman by a head.

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MEETING TO  
NEW SENATOR.Business Pay Their Respects  
to Frank P. Flint.Public Reception Held at the  
Chamber of Commerce.Edges Himself to Meet the  
Wishes of the People.A public reception, held in his  
office last night, at the Chamber of  
Commerce, Senator-elect Frank P.  
Flint was welcomed home from his tri-  
p to Sacramento in quest of  
a seat in the upper house of Congress.  
Several hundred persons shook him  
the hand and congratulated him on  
election, among them being a large  
host of women.In the day Mr. Flint had  
a meeting with his constituents in the  
train that left the Arden station  
at 10 o'clock a.m. In the party were  
wife and two children of the Sen-  
ator.Mr. Flint and his wife arrived at the  
Chamber of Commerce in a carriage,  
and the ladies' reception room was  
decorated for the occasion and it  
was the formal welcoming  
party was held.A table at the north end of the  
large room that had been thrown  
over stood a massive horseshoe of  
gumamela, white carnations, am-  
ber and maidenhair ferns sent to Mr.  
Flint from the Republicans of Texas.Guests arranged about the rooms  
painted the room decorations, while  
the men and women in the drawing  
room that separated the room  
flowers and palms were used in  
the exhibition hall of the chamber.  
Public addresses were made after  
the formal ceremony. An orches-  
tral band took a place immediately in front  
of the large horseshoe, Mr. Flint,  
Mrs. Flint at his side, and Mr.  
Edgar, who embraced him and hiswife. The Reception Committee of  
hundreds appeared to be the most  
numerous and committee of city  
and county officials and the Sen-  
ator was admitted. Later the Sen-  
ator was escorted to a temporary  
quarters in the exhibition hall.

## WELCOMING ADDRESS.

Miss Slauson, who was introduced  
as the hostess of the evening by W. D.  
Train, made a brief address.The people of the northern part of  
State have complained," said Mr.  
Slauson, "that we of this section have  
a tendency to think that we are  
the only ones in success. But we  
have good reasons. We wanted Frank  
because he is one of us, because  
he is a member of our party, because  
he has done a man's work, more  
in the duties that belong to  
a man in public, charitable and  
political matters."Frank," said the speaker,  
referring to Mr. Flint, "it is my high  
and great privilege to welcome  
you to our home, our home and that  
of the people that are with us. A  
miable, polite, courteous, honor-  
able man in the United States Senate  
that you have been as a citizen of  
America. We stand by you firmly  
and have the deepest confidence, and  
God bless you."

## SENATOR-SELECT SPEAKS.

The speaker responded. Mr. Flint was visibly  
touched. His emotions were shared  
by his wife and mother, who sat nearMr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentle-  
men, and Fellow Citizens, "he said."It comes a time when one simply  
passes the limit and can go no farther.  
I have come up in this hard struggle  
at this moment. I am only too glad  
to hear of this address of Mr.  
Flint, who has been so near and  
so close to me and who has done so much  
for me in this community from the  
time I have been a poor boy. I can  
say I am deeply grateful for  
what you have done."

The letter was read.—ED. TIMES.

GEORGE A. KNIGHT.

This tribute from one of Mr. Flint's  
friends is given for the honor that he  
has evoked others.

## LETTER FROM GEN. OTIS.

Gen. Otis, who was absent from the  
city yesterday, and last night, sent a personal  
letter to Mr. Flint, which was  
delivered to the Senator on his arrival.The general, however, made public in  
a speech at the Sacramento through  
the object of his high place in  
the Republican council and is a great  
tribune to his integrity as a citizen of  
our country and a member of our party.  
He is a man of high principle, and  
has some experience as readers, and  
Miss Hards has made a point of selecting  
the ones especially suited by  
temperament to the various roles they

had which he so directly represents.

## "MAZ. FRANK P. M'LAUGHLIN."

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12.

President Chamber of Commerce:

I write with you that my son  
has been elected to the Senate.The election was made by a  
mysterious secrecy surrounds the  
play to be given by the present senator  
and his class. It is known, however, that  
two members of the class, Miss Rose  
and Miss Mitchell, are the authors of  
the farce, and something good is ex-  
pected.advertising. Still others are used by  
agents of all kinds who canvass in  
large groups.It would be difficult to estimate the  
number of cars owned by amusement  
producers. One of the most conspicuous  
Chicago theatrical manager  
has half a dozen. Scores of circus,  
midgets, dramatic and operatic organiza-  
tions own a dozen or more cars in  
which they travel and live, and these  
cars are in the hands of carnival com-  
panies and all manner of strolling enter-  
tainers.An extent is this true that dealing  
in these mobile artists has  
developed into a recognized industry.There are several men in Chicago who  
make it their exclusive business, and  
one of them who has a line of  
the finest cars of the kind in the country.She lives at a downtown hotel,  
keeps in close touch with the amusement  
and rents coaches, making a specialty of  
these cars to distinguished artists tour-  
ing the country. She also rents to tour-  
ing parties, and to visitors and tourists  
from the country who travel to travel in  
comfort and privacy.There are also companies making a  
business of storing private cars when  
Chicago has no such concern.The majority of these cars are old Pull-  
mans or Wagons thrown out of service  
by the ever growing demand for  
larger and more elaborate carriages.

They are held at from \$3000

to \$6000 or more each.

Aside from the amusement concerns,  
touring associations, itinerant doctors,  
artists, and other itinerants, and the  
business men and speculators own-  
ing passenger, sleeping and baggage  
cars, the great trusts and banking  
concerns, who have large holdings of rolling  
stock. On many railroads, round-  
plates on the trucks and often upon  
the property of some trust company  
or other, are mounted under the cars on  
a particular railroad. When the vast  
number of private, refrigerator, and  
freight cars in commission is taken  
into account, the country is readily  
realized that the cars of the country  
are by no means in the hands of the  
traders.You have heretofore referred to me  
as your intended course in the Senate.I am one of the most distinguished  
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## San Bernardino and Riverside.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM]

## HUGHES ADMITS SHAMMING.

## WHEN TAKEN INTO COURT HE FEIGNS INSANITY.

Man Who Obtained Money from Mrs. Ward Under False Pretenses Sent to the County Rock Pile for Six Months—Husband Gets Divorce from Sporting-house Woman.

MAN BEING DRIVEN OUT OF SAN BERNARDINO. Jan. 12.—James D. Hughes, who was brought from Los Angeles last night to answer a charge of obtaining money from Mrs. Mary Ward, under false pretenses, pleaded guilty before Justice of the Peace C. L. Thomas, this morning, and was sentenced to the rock pile for six months.

Hughes feigned insanity at first but, when told flatly by Dr. C. D. Dickey, who had been appointed by the court to investigate his mental condition, that he was shamming, he admitted it.

## DIES AT NORWALK.

Word was received here this morning of the death at Norwalk of George Gahr, son of the former Sandra P. ticket agent at this place. Only a few months ago young Gahr was married to a young woman of estimable family, and removed to Fallbrook with his father, finally, where he remained.

George Gahr, a brother-in-law of Ex-Senator Hahn of Pasadena. The remains will probably be brought to this city for burial.

## SAN BERDOO BRIEFS.

Francisco Corillo, who was arrested at Colton two months ago charged with burglary, this morning pleaded guilty to petty larceny and was sentenced to two months in the County jail.

George Beithurum, of Redlands, was granted a divorce from Mary L. Bethurum on his cross complaint this morning by Justice Bledsoe. The woman was recently convicted of conducting a sporting-house at Redlands.

The old Harrison ranch, below the Arrowhead Hot Springs, has been taken over by the owners planning to erect a sanatorium. There are a number of fine hot springs on the property, which is one of the few places in the State where bananas and most influential Spanish families

George Haines, who was brought to the County Hospital this morning with his right foot ground off, having fallen beneath the wheels of a South Pacific freight train at Colton last night. The foot was not recovered, and is supposed to still be somewhere along the track.

Louis Slater, a tobacco merchant and resident of this city for many years died here this afternoon aged 49.

## COLTON.

## LOCAL NOTES.

COLTON, Jan. 12.—Gage, who is employed at the Colton marble works, met with a painful accident yesterday. A large steel "key" flew from one of the wheels and hit him on the lip, cutting it badly and knocking out several teeth.

Miss May Johnson of Berkeley, who was to succeed Miss Charlotte Whitney as teacher of Latin and Spanish in the High School, was unable to come, and Miss Wyro has been selected to fill the vacancy.

Harry Lewis, assistant superintendent of the railroad mail service and responsible for the making arrangements whereby there may be a better and more convenient system for transferring the mail from one train to another. The Santa Fe and the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific are often so close and the mails are so many that to transfer is difficult. The facilities are inadequate.

## REDLANDS.

## ARRESTED AT DICE.

REDLANDS, Jan. 12.—Walter Smith, Earl Jones, Howard D. Jones, Rigs and Green were arrested in the dining-room of the Commercial Hotel early this morning while gambling with dice. They were cited to appear before Justice Gifford this morning at 10 o'clock, but failed to show up. G. Waterhouse was arrested this morning on complaint of Mrs. Viola Moore, who accused him of assault with criminal intent. Yesterday he was at her home on East Central avenue. Waterhouse will appear for preliminary examination Monday at 10 o'clock a.m. He takes his arrest coolly and says he will do his best to help the scheme to ruin him. All parties to the scandal are prominent.

Co. G has started a campaign in the interest of equipment for a gymnasium, promising to raise the money by popular subscription.

## HUNTINGTON BEACH.

OLLY PEBBLES ON SHORE. Huntington Beach, Jan. 12.—Many pebbles cast up on the beach by the surf here are covered with heavy crude oil. Los Angeles oil men are investigating and there may be some connection with the oil.

F. C. Kuehne and Frank Palmer are arranging to erect a pavilion to seat about 1400 people. Gov. LaFollette of Wisconsin is said to be opening the place with a lecture early in July.

## ANAHEIM.

ALMOT A DROWNING. ANAHEIM, Jan. 12.—F. Sussmil and J. Weaver narrowly escaped drowning at Newport yesterday. In the afternoon they went for a sail in a two-masted boat. As they started back to shore the little vessel capsized in the surf. They reached shore by swimming in and fisherman nearby saved the vessel.

The Chamber of Commerce last night appointed Messrs. Hatzfeld and Ahlborn a committee to arrange for the banquet which will be held on the evening of January 26 immediately after the election of officers. The organization has done more good work the past year than ever before and a quorum was present at every meeting. The following officers were elected to membership last night: Eugene H. Adams, J. W. Duckworth, Fischle and Lange, Ed Michod, D. A. McLean, Tim Carroll, T. Diedrich, Fred Dyckman, Union Brewing Company.

The Fullerton Improvement Company has today let a contract to Heineman & Co. of Los Angeles for building a 100-foot-front two-story brick block in that city opposite the post office. The contract price is \$10,000.

Thomas T. Long, aged 63, died at

## TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.

his home at Alamitos and was buried here today.

Mrs. John Meredith, aged 79, died at her home in this city after an illness of many months. She leaves considerable property. Her three children are dead.

Dr. Tyler has resigned as city trustee, having decided to move to Northern California.

Mr. Pamperi writes from Rutherford, announcing the marriage of his daughter, Miss Ida Pamperi, to Rudolph Brand.

## SANTA ANA.

DRIVING ROD BROKE. SANTA ANA, Jan. 12.—Engineer Charles Wright was painfully injured and the cab of his engine was smashed to kindling wood in an accident on the run of the Santeetzel celery train between Newport Beach and Santa Ana last night. The train had just reached Harper's siding, when the engine, on the engine's side, was broken, and before the train could be stopped, several blows striking the engineer. His right arm was hit and almost broken, and his right cut out, and received the fatal flying boards. Conductor Stevens telephoned to Los Angeles for assistance, and a wrecking train arrived to haul him in, and after midnight, and took him to the hospital in Los Angeles, about five hours behind time.

## ORANGE COUNTY WHIFFS.

P. W. Malroy and Ella Humphrey, both of Santa Ana, were married today at the County Clerk's office by City Recorder Wilson.

Thomas Y. Young, aged 65, one of the best-known men of the Alamitos residents, died at his home on the river Wednesday. The funeral was conducted yesterday at the Los Alamitos church, interment at the Westwood cemetery.

W. F. Botsford, Count Von Schmidt and M. J. Connell of Los Angeles came here this morning to spend a couple of days at the San Joaquin Gun Club in duck hunting.

Philip Yorba, aged 51, died today at Yorba, and will be buried Sunday. Yorba is the last of the older members of the Yorba family, one of the oldest and most influential Spanish families of Stanley Wilson.

The new County Recorder, L. S. Logan, has assumed the duties of his office after filling in for 560 hours. The sureties are L. V. W. Brown, W. W. Wilson, George Boyle and F. W. Richardson. Recorder Logan has appointed his deputy, J. Hammerton, Miss Leon Gruwell and Miss Genevieve Haines.

Superior Judge Holds That in a Civil Action the Red Man is on About Same Footing as an Ordinary Citizen—Sherman Institute Entertainment—Electric Lighting Rates.

UNFRAGRANT INDIAN TRIAL IN RIVERSIDE COURT.

Superior Judge Holds That in a Civil Action the Red Man is on About Same Footing as an Ordinary Citizen—Sherman Institute Entertainment—Electric Lighting Rates.

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 12.—The case of Judge Mr. Spangler was remanded before Judge Notes today after the vexed question of jurisdiction had been settled. This is the suit in which Aquia His, the Indian, demands \$6000 damages from Indian Agent Spear for alleged false imprisonment and for having his hair cut.

Attorney McKeever argued that immediate trial in a court of law was the only way to determine the jurisdictional power of the court. Attorney Wilson, representing His, held that in a civil action a red man is on the same footing as an ordinary citizen. This view of the case was upheld by the court.

Bad blood between two sets of Ingalls Indians, one a member of the tribe whom His, brought about the latter's arrest and his degradation by having his hair cut.

Philip Yorba, some residents in the brass buttons and red braid of the native constabulary, some barefoot and blanket-wrapped, gave an unusual tone to the proceedings.

Other Indians were present as witnesses. He told the story of his Samson-like fall through two interpreters.

The Yumas place great value upon their hair, he said. "It is their religion to shave their heads, and the tribe laugh at me and say I no good."

He testified that the man who cut his hair pointed a pistol at him until he fell "downward." His was afterward made to pay a fine of \$1000.

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